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May 30, 2007

BOX TTAB — FEE Commissioner for Trademarks P.O. Box 1451 Alexandria, VA 22313-1451

Re: U.S. Trademark application Serial No.: 78/749,922

Mark: **SNAP RESTORE**Filed: November 8, 2005
Published: February 13, 2007

U.S. Trademark application Serial No.: 78/894,811

Mark: ACRONIS SNAP RESTORE

Filed: May 27, 2006

Published: January 30, 2007 Our Reference: 059055.9017

Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing is a Combined Notice of Opposition in connection with the above-referenced applications. Also enclosed are Exhibits A-B, and our receipt verification postcard.

The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or to credit any overpayment, to **Deposit Account No. 13-4520**. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed for this purpose.

Very truly yours,

Rochelle D. Alpert

Enclosures

TRADEMARK Docket No. 059055.9017

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE BEFORE THE TRADEMARK TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

In the matter of application Serial No. 78/749,922
Filed November 8, 2005
For the mark SNAP RESTORE
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In the matter of application Serial No. 78/894,811
Filed May 27, 2006
For the mark ACRONIS SNAP RESTORE
Published in the OFFICIAL GAZETTE on January 30, 2007

NETWORK APPLIANCE, INC., a Delaware corporation,

Opposer,

V.

ACRONIS, INC., a corporation of the British Virgin Islands,

Applicant.

Opposition No.:

06/05/2007 GTHOMAS2 00000026 134520 78749922 01 FC:6402 600.00 DA

BOX TTAB — FEE Commissioner for Trademarks P.O. Box 1451 Alexandria, VA 22313-1451

COMBINED NOTICE OF OPPOSITION

Network Appliance, Inc., a Delaware corporation, having its principal place of business at 495 East Java Drive, Sunnyvale, CA 94089 ("NetApp" or "Opposer"), believes that it will be damaged by the registration of the SNAP RESTORE mark shown in Serial No. 78/749,922 and

the ACRONIS SNAP RESTORE mark shown in Serial No. 78/894,811 and, hereby opposes same.

As grounds for the Combined Opposition, Opposer NetApp alleges as follows:

- 1. NetApp is a publicly traded company that is widely recognized as the leader in enterprise storage and the delivery of data and content on demand. NetApp has long developed, marketed and offered enterprise data management products and services, including, among other products and services, hardware and software for storing, securing and managing data.
- 2. NetApp owns and uses, in interstate and foreign commerce, marks based on, and including, the word SNAP for enterprise data management related products and services, particularly software for data storage and network management. NetApp has owned and used these marks in interstate and foreign commerce, since well prior to the filing dates of the applications at issue in this proceeding. In particular, NetApp used the SNAPRESTORE® mark in interstate commerce at least as early as April 30, 1999. Additionally, for example, NetApp has used other SNAP based marks in interstate commerce such as the SNAPMIRROR® mark since at least as early as April 1999, the SNAPMANAGER® manager since at least as early as February 7, 2000, the SNAPLOCK® mark since at least as early as June 16, 2003, and the SNAPVAULT® mark since at least as early as March 2002.
- 3. NetApp owns valid, subsisting, uncancelled and unrevoked federal trademark registrations for marks that are comprised of, or include, the word SNAP for its products. These registrations include the mark SNAPRESTORE®, Registration No. 2,485,892, for "computer software for recovery of data stored in electronic data file systems, and instruction and user manuals provided in connection therewith," in International Class 9, registered on September 4, 2001. A true and correct copy of this registration is attached as Exhibit A.

- 4. NetApp also owns valid, subsisting uncancelled and unrevoked federal registrations for the following marks:
- (a) SNAPMIRROR®, Registration No. 2,488,676, for "computer software for replicating and updating of electronic data to separate data storage systems across computer networks, and instruction and user manuals provided in connection therewith," in International Class 9, registered on September 11, 2001;
- (b) SNAPMANAGER®, Registration No. 2,480,545, for "computer software for backing up and recovery of data stored in electronic data file systems and for the management of backing up and recovery of data stored in electronic data file systems, and instruction and user manuals sold as a unit therewith," in International Class 9, registered on August 21, 2001;
- (c) SNAPVAULT®, Registration No. 2,903,585, for "computer hardware and software for managing the protection, backup, replication, and restoration of data, and instruction and user manuals sold therewith," in International Class 9, registered on November 16, 2004;
- (d) SNAPMOVER®, Registration No. 2,855,337, for "computer hardware and software for storing, securing, managing, controlling, monitoring and optimizing the accessibility, delivery, backup, restoration, replication, and migration of computer data; software for managing and monitoring computer disc drives and other computer storage devices using a computer network," in International Class 9, registered on June 15, 2004;
- (e) SNAPLOCK®, Registration No. 2,962,614, for "computer software for storing, securing and managing data on magnetic disk storage and for optimizing the accessibility of the data, and the instruction and user manuals sold therewith," in International Class 9, registered on June 14, 2005;

- (f) SNAPDRIVE[®], Serial No. 76/341,160, (Allowed), for "computer operating system software; computer software for storing, securing, managing, monitoring and optimizing the accessibility, delivery, backup, restoration, migration and replication of computer data on filers and computer networks," in International Class 9, with use commencing in interstate commerce at least as early as September, 2002; and
- (g) SNAPVALIDATOR®, Serial No. 78/361,868, (Allowed), for "computer software for use in electronic data storage systems and computer networks for managing, searching and securing data," in International Class 9.

True and correct copies of NetApp referenced registrations, and applications and allowances from the TARR database are attached hereto as <u>Exhibit B</u>.

5. By way of the opposed applications, Acronis, Inc. ("Applicant" or "Acronis"), seeks to register the confusingly similar designations SNAP RESTORE, having disclaimed the word "restore", Serial No. 78/749,922, in International Class 9 for "computer software, available in downloadable form, for servers, laptop computers, desktop computers, palmtop computers, mobile computers, personal digital assistants and personal computers, including networked machines controlled from a central location, for booting the operating system from an image on a crashed or failed computer, while the remainder of the restoration can continue in the background; computer software, available on CD-ROM, for servers, laptop computers, desktop computers, palmtop computers, mobile computers, personal digital assistants and personal computers, including networked machines controlled from a central location for booting the operating system from an image on a crashed or failed computer, while the remainder of the restoration can continue in the background;" and ACRONIS SNAP RESTORE, having disclaimed the word "restore," Serial No. 78/894,811, in International Class 9 for "downloadable

computers oftware and software recorded on CD-ROM, for servers, laptop computers, desktop computers, palmtop computers, mobile computers, personal digital assistants and personal computers, namely, networked machines controlled from a central location, for booting the operating system from an image on a crashed or failed computer, while the remainder of the restoration can continue in the background." The opposed application for SNAP RESTORE was filed on November 8, 2005, and the opposed application for ACRONIS SNAP RESTORE on May 27, 2006, well after NetApp obtained United States trademark registrations for its SNAPRESTORE® and other SNAP based marks, including but not limited to its SNAPMIRROR®, SNAPLOCK® and SNAPMANAGER® marks, and well after NetApp first commenced use of its SNAPRESTORE®, SNAPMIRROR®, SNAPDRIVE®, SNAPMANAGER®, SNAPLOCK®, SNAPVALIDATOR® and SNAPVAULT® marks.

- 6. Applicant's SNAP RESTORE designation is identical to NetApp's federally registered and in use SNAPRESTORE® mark in sight, sound and meaning, and its ACRONIS SNAP RESTORE designation is virtually identical to NetApp's federally registered and in use SNAPRESTORE® mark in sight, sound and meaning. Furthermore, Applicant's SNAP RESTORE and ACRONIS SNAP RESTORE designations are confusingly similar in sight, sound, meaning and overall commercial impression to NetApp's federally registered and in use SNAPMIRROR®, SNAPRESTORE®, SNAPMANAGER®, SNAPVAULT®, SNAPMOVER® and SNAPLOCK® marks. These confusing similarities are likely to lead to confusion with NetApp and its products.
- 7. On information and belief, NetApp alleges that the goods for which Applicant seeks to register the opposed designations are competitive with, and/or directly related to, and/or complementary to, NetApp's goods. Further, on information and belief, Applicant's products for

which it claims the right to use the SNAP RESTORE and ACRONIS SNAP RESTORE designations, with the word "restore" disclaimed, include products which are likely to be offered through the same or overlapping marketing and trade channels, and to the same or overlapping customers, to whom NetApp markets, promotes and sells its enterprise data and network management and related products under its SNAP based marks. Indeed, Applicant itself states on its own web site that it is a "world leader in providing advanced, scalable storage management..." Further, Applicant claims on its web site that it sells to small, mid-sized and Fortune500 businesses.

8. Inasmuch as NetApps's SNAP marks and, specifically its SNAPRESTORE® mark are essentially identical in terms of sight, sound and/or meaning to the designations SNAP RESTORE and ACRONIS SNAP RESTORE and because the goods identified in the opposed applications, the apparent channels of trade and the prospective customer base for those goods at a minimum overlap with those of NetApp, Applicant's registration of the SNAP RESTORE and ACRONIS SNAP RESTORE designations, are likely to cause confusion, mistake and deception in the marketplace and damage NetApp. Therefore, Applicant is not entitled to registrations for either of its applications opposed here under the Lanham Act, 15 U.S.C. §1052(d).

WHEREFORE, NetApp prays that application Serial No. 78/749,922 for SNAP RESTORE and application Serial No. 78/894,811 for ACRONIS SNAP RESTORE be rejected, that no registrations be issued thereon to Applicant, and that this combined opposition be sustained in favor of NetApp.

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The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the \$600.00, and any other required fees to institute this Opposition, to **Deposit Account No. 13-4520**.

Dated: May 30, 2007

Respectfully submitted,

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EXHIBIT A

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Serial Number: 75745667 Assignment Information

Registration Number: 2485892

Mark (words only): SNAPRESTORE

Standard Character claim: No

Current Status: Section 8 and 15 affidavits have been accepted and acknowledged.

Date of Status: 2007-04-16

Filing Date: 1999-07-08

Transformed into a National Application: No

Registration Date: 2001-09-04

Register: Principal

Law Office Assigned: LAW OFFICE 113

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Current Location: 830 -Post Registration

Date In Location: 2007-04-16

LAST APPLICANT(S)/OWNER(S) OF RECORD

1. NETWORK APPLIANCE, INC.

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NETWORK APPLIANCE, INC.

495 EAST JAVA DRIVE SUNNYVALE, CA 94089

United States

Legal Entity Type: Corporation

State or Country of Incorporation: Delaware

GOODS AND/OR SERVICES

International Class: 009

Class Status: Active

Computer software for recovery of data stored in electronic data file systems, and

instruction and user manuals provided in connection therewith

Basis: 1(a)

First Use Date: 1998-11-00

First Use in Commerce Date: 1999-04-00

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

(NOT AVAILABLE)

MADRID PROTOCOL INFORMATION

(NOT AVAILABLE)

PROSECUTION HISTORY

2007-05-08 - TEAS Change Of Correspondence Received

2007-04-16 - Section 8 (6-year) accepted & Section 15 acknowledged

2007-02-27 - Section 8 (6-year) and Section 15 Filed

2007-02-27 - TEAS Section 8 & 15 Received

2007-02-05 - Case File In TICRS

2001-09-04 - Registered - Principal Register

2001-05-08 - Allowed for Registration - Principal Register (SOU accepted)

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2001-05-07 - Assigned To Examiner

2001-05-02 - Statement of use processing complete

2001-04-20 - Amendment to Use filed

2000-10-30 - Extension 1 granted

2000-10-30 - Extension 1 filed

2000-05-02 - Notice of allowance - mailed

2000-02-08 - Published for opposition

2000-01-07 - Notice of publication

1999-12-02 - Approved for Pub - Principal Register (Initial exam)

1999-11-19 - Assigned To Examiner

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Registration Number: 2488676

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Standard Character claim: No

Current Status: Registered.

Date of Status: 2001-09-11

Filing Date: 1999-07-08

Transformed into a National Application: No

Registration Date: 2001-09-11

Register: Principal

Law Office Assigned: LAW OFFICE 103

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Current Location: 40S -Scanning On Demand

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LAST APPLICANT(S)/OWNER(S) OF RECORD

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Sunnyvale, CA 94089

United States

Legal Entity Type: Corporation

State or Country of Incorporation: California

GOODS AND/OR SERVICES

International Class: 009

Class Status: Active

Computer software for replicating and updating of electronic data to separate data storage systems across computer networks, and instruction and user manuals provided in connection therewith

Basis: 1(a)

First Use Date: 1999-03-31

First Use in Commerce Date: 1999-04-26

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

(NOT AVAILABLE)

MADRID PROTOCOL INFORMATION

(NOT AVAILABLE)

PROSECUTION HISTORY

2007-01-29 - Case File In TICRS

2001-09-11 - Registered - Principal Register

2001-05-09 - Allowed for Registration - Principal Register (SOU accepted)

2001-05-01 - Statement of use processing complete

2001-04-30 - Extension 2 granted

2001-03-29 - Amendment to Use filed

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2001-03-29 - Extension 2 filed

2000-12-18 - Extension 1 granted

2000-10-04 - Extension 1 filed

2000-04-04 - Notice of allowance - mailed

2000-01-11 - Published for opposition

1999-12-10 - Notice of publication

1999-11-04 - Approved for Pub - Principal Register (Initial exam)

1999-10-29 - Assigned To Examiner

1999-10-20 - Assigned To Examiner

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Registration Number: 2480545

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Standard Character claim: No

Current Status: Registered.

Date of Status: 2001-08-21

Filing Date: 1999-04-20

Transformed into a National Application: No

Registration Date: 2001-08-21

Register: Principal

Law Office Assigned: LAW OFFICE 103

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Legal Entity Type: Corporation

State or Country of Incorporation: California

GOODS AND/OR SERVICES

International Class: 009

Class Status: Active

Computer software for backing up and recovery of data stored in electronic data file systems and for the management of backing up and recovery of data stored in electronic data file systems, and instruction and user manuals sold as a unit therewith

Basis: 1(a)

First Use Date: 1999-12-31

First Use in Commerce Date: 2000-02-07

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

(NOT AVAILABLE)

MADRID PROTOCOL INFORMATION

(NOT AVAILABLE)

PROSECUTION HISTORY

2007-02-07 - Case File In TICRS

2001-08-21 - Registered - Principal Register

2001-04-18 - Allowed for Registration - Principal Register (SOU accepted)

2001-04-09 - Statement of use processing complete

2001-03-06 - Amendment to Use filed

2000-09-07 - Extension 1 granted

EXHIBIT B Page 6 of 2000-09-07 - Extension 1 filed

2000-03-07 - Notice of allowance - mailed

1999-12-14 - Published for opposition

1999-11-12 - Notice of publication

1999-09-21 - Approved for Pub - Principal Register (Initial exam)

1999-09-20 - Assigned To Examiner

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Serial Number: 76193463 Assignment Information

Registration Number: 2903585

Mark (words only): SNAPVAULT

Standard Character claim: No

Current Status: Registered.

Date of Status: 2004-11-16

Filing Date: 2001-01-09

Transformed into a National Application: No

Registration Date: 2004-11-16

Register: Principal

Law Office Assigned: LAW OFFICE 103

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United States

Legal Entity Type: Corporation

State or Country of Incorporation: Delaware

GOODS AND/OR SERVICES

International Class: 009

Class Status: Active

Computer hardware and software for managing the protection, backup, replication,

and restoration of data, and instruction and user manuals sold therewith

Basis: 1(a)

First Use Date: 2002-03-00

First Use in Commerce Date: 2002-03-00

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

(NOT AVAILABLE)

MADRID PROTOCOL INFORMATION

(NOT AVAILABLE)

PROSECUTION HISTORY

2004-11-16 - Registered - Principal Register

2004-09-20 - Law Office Registration Review Completed

2004-09-20 - Assigned To LIE

2004-09-16 - Allowed for Registration - Principal Register (SOU accepted)

2004-09-16 - Assigned To Examiner

2004-09-14 - Statement of use processing complete

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2004-06-16 - Amendment Use filed

2004-06-16 - TEAS Statement of Use Received

2004-06-02 - Extension 5 granted

2004-05-20 - Extension 5 filed

2004-05-28 - Case File In TICRS

2004-05-20 - TEAS Extension Received

2003-11-17 - Extension 4 granted

2003-10-31 - Extension 4 filed

2003-06-15 - Extension 3 granted

2003-05-15 - Extension 3 filed

2003-10-31 - TEAS Extension Received

2003-08-25 - PAPER RECEIVED

2003-05-15 - TEAS Extension Received

2003-05-07 - TEAS Change Of Correspondence Received

2002-12-04 - Extension 2 granted

2002-10-21 - Extension 2 filed

2002-10-25 - PAPER RECEIVED

2002-03-12 - Extension 1 granted

2002-03-01 - Extension 1 filed

2001-11-20 - Notice of allowance - mailed

2001-08-28 - Published for pposition

2001-08-08 - Notice of publication

2001-04-26 - Approved for Pub - Principal Register (Initial exam)

2001-04-24 - Assigned To Examiner

2001-04-20 - Assigned To Examiner

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Registration Number: 2855337

Mark (words only): SNAPMOVER

Standard Character claim: No

Current Status: Registered.

Date of Status: 2004-06-15

Filing Date: 2003-04-09

Transformed into a National Application: No

Registration Date: 2004-06-15

Register: Principal

Law Office Assigned: LAW OFFICE 114

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Network Appliance, Inc. 495 East Java Drive Sunnyvale, CA 94089 United States

Legal Entity Type: Corporation

State or Country of Incorporation: Delaware

GOODS AND/OR SERVICES

International Class: 009 Class Status: Active

Computer hardware and software for storing, securing, managing, controlling, monitoring and optimizing the accessibility, delivery, backup, restoration, replication, and migration of computer data; software for managing and monitoring computer disc drives and other computer storage devices using a computer network

Basis: 1(a)

First Use Date: 2002-12-00

First Use in Commerce Date: 2004-01-00

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Prior Registration Number(s):

2480545

2485892

2488676

MADRID PROTOCOL INFORMATION

(NOT AVAILABLE)

PROSECUTION HISTORY

2004-06-15 - Registered - Principal Register

2004-04-05 - Allowed for Registration - Principal Register (SOU accepted)

2004-04-02 - Assigned To Examiner

2004-04-01 - Statement of use processing complete

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2004-03-25 - TEAS Statement of Use Received

2004-02-24 - Notice of allowance - mailed

2003-12-02 - Published for opposition

2003-11-12 - Notice of publication

2003-09-23 - Approved for Pub - Principal Register (Initial exam)

2003-09-22 - Assigned To Examiner

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Registration Number: 2962614

Mark (words only): SNAPLOCK

Standard Character claim: No

Current Status: Registered.

Date of Status: 2005-06-14

Filing Date: 2003-03-12

Transformed into a National Application: No

Registration Date: 2005-06-14

Register: Principal

Law Office Assigned: LAW OFFICE 114

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Network Appliance, Inc. 495 East Java Drive Sunnyvale, CA 94089 United States

Legal Entity Type: Corporation

State or Country of Incorporation: Delaware

GOODS AND/OR SERVICES

International Class: 009 **Class Status:** Active

Computer software for storing, securing and managing data on magnetic disk storage and for optimizing the accessibility of the data and the instruction and user manuals

sold therewith **Basis:** 1(a)

First Use Date: 2003-04-15

First Use in Commerce Date: 2003-06-16

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Prior Registration Number(s):

2480545

2485892

2488676

MADRID PROTOCOL INFORMATION

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PROSECUTION HISTORY

2005-06-14 - Registered - Principal Register

2005-04-11 - Law Office Registration Review Completed

2005-04-08 - Assigned To LIE

2005-04-04 - Allowed for Registration - Principal Register (SOU accepted)

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2005-04-01 - Amendment om Applicant Entered

2005-03-15 - Communication received from applicant

2005-03-15 - PAPER RECEIVED

2004-09-16 - Non-final action e-mailed

2004-09-16 - SU - Non-Final Action - Written

2004-09-01 - Assigned To Examiner

2004-08-31 - Statement of use processing complete

2004-08-20 - Amendment to Use filed

2004-08-20 - TEAS Statement of Use Received

2004-07-07 - Extension 1 granted

2004-06-21 - Extension 1 filed

2004-06-21 - TEAS Extension Received

2004-01-13 - Notice of allowance - mailed

2003-10-21 - Published for opposition

2003-10-01 - Notice of publication

2003-08-26 - Approved for Pub - Principal Register (Initial exam)

2003-08-26 - Assigned To Examiner

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Registration Number: 3066260

Mark (words only): SNAPDRIVE

Standard Character claim: No

Current Status: Registered.

Date of Status: 2006-03-07

Filing Date: 2001-11-20

Transformed into a National Application: No

Registration Date: 2006-03-07

Register: Principal

Law Office Assigned: LAW OFFICE 103

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United States

Legal Entity Type: Corporation

State or Country of Incorporation: California

GOODS AND/OR SERVICES

International Class: 009

Class Status: Active

Computer operating system software; computer software for storing, securing, managing, monitoring and optimizing the accessibility, delivery, backup, restoration, migration and replication of computer data on filers and computer networks

Basis: 1(a)

First Use Date: 2001-12-00

First Use in Commerce Date: 2002-09-00

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Prior Registration Number(s):

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2485892

2488676

MADRID PROTOCOL INFORMATION

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PROSECUTION HISTORY

2006-03-07 - Registered - Principal Register

2006-01-26 - Law Office Registration Review Completed

2006-01-20 - Assigned To LIE

2006-01-14 - Allowed for Registration - Principal Register (SOU accepted)

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State or Country of Incorporation: Delaware

GOODS AND/OR SERVICES

International Class: 009

Class Status: Active

COMPUTER SOFTWARE FOR USE IN ELECTRONIC DATA STORAGE SYSTEMS AND COMPUTER NETWORKS FOR MANAGING, SEARCHING

AND SECURING DATA

Basis: 1(a)

First Use Date: 2005-04-00

First Use in Commerce Date: 2005-04-00

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Prior Registration Number(s):

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MADRID PROTOCOL INFORMATION

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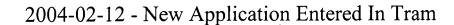
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Filed May 27, 2006
For the mark ACRONIS SNAP RESTORE
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NETWORK APPLIANCE, INC., a Delaware corporation,

Opposition No.:

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v.

ACRONIS, INC., a corporation of the British Virgin Islands,

Applicant.

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BOX TTAB – FEE Commissioner for Trademarks P.O. Box 1451 Alexandria, VA 22313-1451

Dear Sir or Madam:

I hereby certify that the attached Combined Notice of Opposition and Exhibits A-B (*in triplicate*), and receipt verification postcard are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: BOX TTAB — FEE, Commissioner for Trademarks, P.O. Box 1451, Alexandria, VA 22313-1451, on **May 30, 2007**.

Respectfully submitted,

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COMBINED NOTICE OF OPPOSITION

Network Appliance, Inc., a Delaware corporation, having its principal place of business at 495 East Java Drive, Sunnyvale, CA 94089 ("NetApp" or "Opposer"), believes that it will be damaged by the registration of the SNAP RESTORE mark shown in Serial No. 78/749,922 and

the ACRONIS SNAP RESTORE mark shown in Serial No. 78/894,811 and, hereby opposes same.

As grounds for the Combined Opposition, Opposer NetApp alleges as follows:

- 1. NetApp is a publicly traded company that is widely recognized as the leader in enterprise storage and the delivery of data and content on demand. NetApp has long developed, marketed and offered enterprise data management products and services, including, among other products and services, hardware and software for storing, securing and managing data.
- 2. NetApp owns and uses, in interstate and foreign commerce, marks based on, and including, the word SNAP for enterprise data management related products and services, particularly software for data storage and network management. NetApp has owned and used these marks in interstate and foreign commerce, since well prior to the filing dates of the applications at issue in this proceeding. In particular, NetApp used the SNAPRESTORE® mark in interstate commerce at least as early as April 30, 1999. Additionally, for example, NetApp has used other SNAP based marks in interstate commerce such as the SNAPMIRROR® mark since at least as early as April 1999, the SNAPMANAGER® manager since at least as early as February 7, 2000, the SNAPLOCK® mark since at least as early as June 16, 2003, and the SNAPVAULT® mark since at least as early as March 2002.
- 3. NetApp owns valid, subsisting, uncancelled and unrevoked federal trademark registrations for marks that are comprised of, or include, the word SNAP for its products. These registrations include the mark SNAPRESTORE®, Registration No. 2,485,892, for "computer software for recovery of data stored in electronic data file systems, and instruction and user manuals provided in connection therewith," in International Class 9, registered on September 4, 2001. A true and correct copy of this registration is attached as Exhibit A.

- 4. NetApp also owns valid, subsisting uncancelled and unrevoked federal registrations for the following marks:
- (a) SNAPMIRROR®, Registration No. 2,488,676, for "computer software for replicating and updating of electronic data to separate data storage systems across computer networks, and instruction and user manuals provided in connection therewith," in International Class 9, registered on September 11, 2001;
- (b) SNAPMANAGER[®], Registration No. 2,480,545, for "computer software for backing up and recovery of data stored in electronic data file systems and for the management of backing up and recovery of data stored in electronic data file systems, and instruction and user manuals sold as a unit therewith," in International Class 9, registered on August 21, 2001;
- (c) SNAPVAULT®, Registration No. 2,903,585, for "computer hardware and software for managing the protection, backup, replication, and restoration of data, and instruction and user manuals sold therewith," in International Class 9, registered on November 16, 2004;
- (d) SNAPMOVER®, Registration No. 2,855,337, for "computer hardware and software for storing, securing, managing, controlling, monitoring and optimizing the accessibility, delivery, backup, restoration, replication, and migration of computer data; software for managing and monitoring computer disc drives and other computer storage devices using a computer network," in International Class 9, registered on June 15, 2004;
- (e) SNAPLOCK®, Registration No. 2,962,614, for "computer software for storing, securing and managing data on magnetic disk storage and for optimizing the accessibility of the data, and the instruction and user manuals sold therewith," in International Class 9, registered on June 14, 2005;

- (f) SNAPDRIVE®, Serial No. 76/341,160, (Allowed), for "computer operating system software; computer software for storing, securing, managing, monitoring and optimizing the accessibility, delivery, backup, restoration, migration and replication of computer data on filers and computer networks," in International Class 9, with use commencing in interstate commerce at least as early as September, 2002; and
- (g) SNAPVALIDATOR®, Serial No. 78/361,868, (Allowed), for "computer software for use in electronic data storage systems and computer networks for managing, searching and securing data," in International Class 9.

True and correct copies of NetApp referenced registrations, and applications and allowances from the TARR database are attached hereto as Exhibit B.

5. By way of the opposed applications, Acronis, Inc. ("Applicant" or "Acronis"), seeks to register the confusingly similar designations SNAP RESTORE, having disclaimed the word "restore", Serial No. 78/749,922, in International Class 9 for "computer software, available in downloadable form, for servers, laptop computers, desktop computers, palmtop computers, mobile computers, personal digital assistants and personal computers, including networked machines controlled from a central location, for booting the operating system from an image on a crashed or failed computer, while the remainder of the restoration can continue in the background; computer software, available on CD-ROM, for servers, laptop computers, desktop computers, palmtop computers, mobile computers, personal digital assistants and personal computers, including networked machines controlled from a central location for booting the operating system from an image on a crashed or failed computer, while the remainder of the restoration can continue in the background;" and ACRONIS SNAP RESTORE, having disclaimed the word "restore," Serial No. 78/894,811, in International Class 9 for "downloadable

computers oftware and software recorded on CD-ROM, for servers, laptop computers, desktop computers, palmtop computers, mobile computers, personal digital assistants and personal computers, namely, networked machines controlled from a central location, for booting the operating system from an image on a crashed or failed computer, while the remainder of the restoration can continue in the background." The opposed application for SNAP RESTORE was filed on November 8, 2005, and the opposed application for ACRONIS SNAP RESTORE on May 27, 2006, well after NetApp obtained United States trademark registrations for its SNAPRESTORE® and other SNAP based marks, including but not limited to its SNAPMIRROR®, SNAPLOCK® and SNAPMANAGER® marks, and well after NetApp first commenced use of its SNAPRESTORE®, SNAPMIRROR®, SNAPDRIVE®, SNAPMANAGER®, SNAPLOCK®, SNAPVALIDATOR® and SNAPVAULT® marks.

- 6. Applicant's SNAP RESTORE designation is identical to NetApp's federally registered and in use SNAPRESTORE® mark in sight, sound and meaning, and its ACRONIS SNAP RESTORE designation is virtually identical to NetApp's federally registered and in use SNAPRESTORE® mark in sight, sound and meaning. Furthermore, Applicant's SNAP RESTORE and ACRONIS SNAP RESTORE designations are confusingly similar in sight, sound, meaning and overall commercial impression to NetApp's federally registered and in use SNAPMIRROR®, SNAPRESTORE®, SNAPMANAGER®, SNAPVAULT®, SNAPMOVER® and SNAPLOCK® marks. These confusing similarities are likely to lead to confusion with NetApp and its products.
- 7. On information and belief, NetApp alleges that the goods for which Applicant seeks to register the opposed designations are competitive with, and/or directly related to, and/or complementary to, NetApp's goods. Further, on information and belief, Applicant's products for

which it claims the right to use the SNAP RESTORE and ACRONIS SNAP RESTORE designations, with the word "restore" disclaimed, include products which are likely to be offered through the same or overlapping marketing and trade channels, and to the same or overlapping customers, to whom NetApp markets, promotes and sells its enterprise data and network management and related products under its SNAP based marks. Indeed, Applicant itself states on its own web site that it is a "world leader in providing advanced, scalable storage management..." Further, Applicant claims on its web site that it sells to small, mid-sized and Fortune500 businesses.

8. Inasmuch as NetApps's SNAP marks and, specifically its SNAPRESTORE® mark are essentially identical in terms of sight, sound and/or meaning to the designations SNAP RESTORE and ACRONIS SNAP RESTORE and because the goods identified in the opposed applications, the apparent channels of trade and the prospective customer base for those goods at a minimum overlap with those of NetApp, Applicant's registration of the SNAP RESTORE and ACRONIS SNAP RESTORE designations, are likely to cause confusion, mistake and deception in the marketplace and damage NetApp. Therefore, Applicant is not entitled to registrations for either of its applications opposed here under the Lanham Act, 15 U.S.C. §1052(d).

WHEREFORE, NetApp prays that application Serial No. 78/749,922 for SNAP RESTORE and application Serial No. 78/894,811 for ACRONIS SNAP RESTORE be rejected, that no registrations be issued thereon to Applicant, and that this combined opposition be sustained in favor of NetApp.

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The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the \$600.00, and any other required fees to institute this Opposition, to **Deposit Account No. 13-4520**.

Dated: May 30, 2007

Respectfully submitted,

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495 EAST JAVA DRIVE SUNNYVALE, CA 94089

United States

Legal Entity Type: Corporation

State or Country of Incorporation: Delaware

GOODS AND/OR SERVICES

International Class: 009

Class Status: Active

Computer software for recovery of data stored in electronic data file systems, and

instruction and user manuals provided in connection therewith

Basis: 1(a)

First Use Date: 1998-11-00

First Use in Commerce Date: 1999-04-00

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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MADRID PROTOCOL INFORMATION

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Sunnyvale, CA 94089

United States

Legal Entity Type: Corporation

State or Country of Incorporation: California

GOODS AND/OR SERVICES

International Class: 009

Class Status: Active

Computer software for replicating and updating of electronic data to separate data storage systems across computer networks, and instruction and user manuals provided

in connection therewith

Basis: 1(a)

First Use Date: 1999-03-31

First Use in Commerce Date: 1999-04-26

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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MADRID PROTOCOL INFORMATION

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PROSECUTION HISTORY

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2001-05-01 - Statement of use processing complete

2001-04-30 - Extension 2 granted

2001-03-29 - Amendment to Use filed

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Legal Entity Type: Corporation

State or Country of Incorporation: California

GOODS AND/OR SERVICES

International Class: 009

Class Status: Active

Computer software for backing up and recovery of data stored in electronic data file

systems and for the management of backing up and recovery of data stored in

electronic data file systems, and instruction and user manuals sold as a unit therewith

Basis: 1(a)

First Use Date: 1999-12-31

First Use in Commerce Date: 2000-02-07

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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MADRID PROTOCOL INFORMATION

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Legal Entity Type: Corporation

State or Country of Incorporation: Delaware

GOODS AND/OR SERVICES

International Class: 009

Class Status: Active

Computer hardware and software for managing the protection, backup, replication,

and restoration of data, and instruction and user manuals sold therewith

Basis: 1(a)

First Use Date: 2002-03-00

First Use in Commerce Date: 2002-03-00

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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MADRID PROTOCOL INFORMATION

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GOODS AND/OR SERVICES

International Class: 009

Class Status: Active

Computer hardware and software for storing, securing, managing, controlling, monitoring and optimizing the accessibility, delivery, backup, restoration, replication, and migration of computer data; software for managing and monitoring computer disc drives and other computer storage devices using a computer network

Basis: 1(a)

First Use Date: 2002-12-00

First Use in Commerce Date: 2004-01-00

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Prior Registration Number(s):

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Network Appliance, Inc. 495 East Java Drive Sunnyvale, CA 94089 United States

Legal Entity Type: Corporation

State or Country of Incorporation: Delaware

GOODS AND/OR SERVICES

International Class: 009

Class Status: Active

Computer software for storing, securing and managing data on magnetic disk storage and for optimizing the accessibility of the data and the instruction and user manuals sold therewith

Basis: 1(a)

First Use Date: 2003-04-15

First Use in Commerce Date: 2003-06-16

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Prior Registration Number(s):

2480545

2485892

2488676

MADRID PROTOCOL INFORMATION

(NOT AVAILABLE)

PROSECUTION HISTORY

2005-06-14 - Registered - Principal Register

2005-04-11 - Law Office Registration Review Completed

2005-04-08 - Assigned To LIE

2005-04-04 - Allowed for Registration - Principal Register (SOU accepted)

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2005-04-01 - Amendment rom Applicant Entered

2005-03-15 - Communication received from applicant

2005-03-15 - PAPER RECEIVED

2004-09-16 - Non-final action e-mailed

2004-09-16 - SU - Non-Final Action - Written

2004-09-01 - Assigned To Examiner

2004-08-31 - Statement of use processing complete

2004-08-20 - Amendment to Use filed

2004-08-20 - TEAS Statement of Use Received

2004-07-07 - Extension 1 granted

2004-06-21 - Extension 1 filed

2004-06-21 - TEAS Extension Received

2004-01-13 - Notice of allowance - mailed

2003-10-21 - Published for opposition

2003-10-01 - Notice of publication

2003-08-26 - Approved for Pub - Principal Register (Initial exam)

2003-08-26 - Assigned To Examiner

ATTORNEY/CORRESPONDENT INFORMATION

Attorney of Record

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Date of Status: 2006-03-07

Filing Date: 2001-11-20

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Address:

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United States

Legal Entity Type: Corporation

State or Country of Incorporation: California

GOODS AND/OR SERVICES

International Class: 009

Class Status: Active

Computer operating system software; computer software for storing, securing, managing, monitoring and optimizing the accessibility, delivery, backup, restoration, migration and replication of computer data on filers and computer networks

Basis: 1(a)

First Use Date: 2001-12-00

First Use in Commerce Date: 2002-09-00

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Prior Registration Number(s):

2480545

2485892

2488676

MADRID PROTOCOL INFORMATION

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PROSECUTION HISTORY

2006-03-07 - Registered - Principal Register

2006-01-26 - Law Office Registration Review Completed

2006-01-20 - Assigned To LIE

2006-01-14 - Allowed for Registration - Principal Register (SOU accepted)

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2005-07-18 - Statement of use processing complete

2005-07-08 - Amendment to Use filed

2005-07-08 - TEAS Statement of Use Received

2005-05-31 - Extension 5 granted

2005-05-31 - Extension 5 filed

2005-05-31 - TEAS Extension Received

2004-12-07 - Extension 4 granted

2004-12-01 - Extension 4 filed

2004-12-01 - TEAS Extension Received

2004-06-04 - Extension 3 granted

2004-05-25 - Extension 3 filed

2004-05-28 - Case File In TICRS

2004-05-25 - TEAS Extension Received

2003-12-03 - Extension 2 granted

2003-11-24 - Extension 2 filed

2003-11-24 - TEAS Extension Received

2003-08-25 - PAPER RECEIVED

2003-06-16 - Extension 1 granted

2003-06-03 - Extension 1 filed

2003-06-03 - TEAS Extension Received

2003-05-07 - TEAS Change Of Correspondence Received

2002-12-03 - Notice of allowance - mailed

2002-09-10 - Published for opposition

2002-08-21 - Notice of publication

2002-03-11 - Approved for Pub - Principal Register (Initial exam)

2002-03-11 - Assigned To Examiner

2002-02-13 - Assigned To Examiner

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Registration Date: 2006-05-23

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Legal Entity Type: Corporation

State or Country of Incorporation: Delaware

GOODS AND/OR SERVICES

International Class: 009

Class Status: Active

COMPUTER SOFTWARE FOR USE IN ELECTRONIC DATA STORAGE SYSTEMS AND COMPUTER NETWORKS FOR MANAGING, SEARCHING

AND SECURING DATA

Basis: 1(a)

First Use Date: 2005-04-00

First Use in Commerce Date: 2005-04-00

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Prior Registration Number(s):

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- 2006-04-12 Law Office Registration Review Completed
- 2006-04-11 Assigned To LIE
- 2006-03-28 Allowed for Registration Principal Register (SOU accepted)
- 2006-02-27 Statement of use processing complete
- 2006-02-08 Amendment to Use filed
- 2006-02-08 TEAS Statement of Use Received
- 2006-02-01 Extension 2 granted
- 2006-02-01 Extension 2 filed
- 2006-02-01 TEAS Extension Received
- 2005-06-30 Extension 1 granted
- 2005-06-30 Extension 1 filed
- 2005-06-30 TEAS Extension Received
- 2005-02-01 Notice of allowance mailed
- 2004-11-09 Published for opposition
- 2004-10-20 Notice of publication
- 2004-09-15 Law Office Publication Review Completed
- 2004-09-13 Assigned To LIE
- 2004-08-28 Approved for Pub Principal Register (Initial exam)
- 2004-08-25 Assigned To Examiner

2004-02-12 - New Application Entered In Tram

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NETWORK APPLIANCE, INC., a Delaware corporation,

Opposition No.:

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ACRONIS, INC., a corporation of the British Virgin Islands,

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